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Joyce & Craig,

We had seven positive hits on Wednesday, March 14, 2012. All were chrysotile, see the attached. I know I am repeating myself, but I strongly believe the positive hits are due to very windy and dry conditions we are having. Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Thanks,

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March 16, 2012

Laboratory Code:

RES

Subcontract Number:

NA

Laboratory Report: Project # / P.O. #

RES 231728-1 None Given

Project Description:

3rd West Sub - RMP

David Roskelley R & R Environmental 47 West 9000 South #2 Sandy UT 84070

Dear Customer,

Reservoirs Environmental, Inc. is an analytical laboratory accredited for the analysis of Industrial Hygiene and Environmental matrices by the National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program (NVLAP), Lab Code 101896-0 for Transmission Electron Microscopy (TEM) and Polarized Light Microscopy (PLM) analysis and the American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA), Lab ID 101533 - Accreditation Certificate #480 for Phase Contrast Microscopy (PCM) analysis. This laboratory is currently proficient in both Proficiency Testing and PAT programs respectively.

Reservoirs Environmental, Inc. has analyzed the following samples for asbestos content as per your request. The analysis has been completed in general accordance with the appropriate methodology as stated in the attached analysis table. The results have been submitted to your office.

RES 231728-1 is the job number assigned to this study. This report is considered highly confidential and the sole property of the customer. Reservoirs Environmental, Inc. will not discuss any part of this study with personnel other than those of the client. The results described in this report only apply to the samples analyzed. This report must not be used to claim endorsement of products or analytical results by NVLAP or any agency of the U.S. Government. This report shall not be reproduced except in full, without written approval from Reservoirs Environmental, Inc. Samples will be disposed of after sixty days unless longer storage is requested. If you have any questions about this report, please feel free to call 303-964-1986.

Sincerely,

Jeanne Spencer Orr

President

## RESERVOIRS ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.

NVLAP Lab Code 101896-0; TDH: #30-0015

#### TABLE I. TEM AIR FILTER SAMPLE DATA AND ANALYTICAL RESULTS

RES Job Number:

RES 231728-1

Client:

R & R Environmental

Client Project Number / P.O.:

None Given

Client Project Description: Date Samples Received:

3rd West Sub - RMP March 15, 2012

Analysis Type:

TEM, AHERA

Turnaround:

24 Hour

Date Samples Analyzed:

March 15, 2012

Client	Lab	Area	Air	Number of	Analytical	Asbestos	Filter
ID Number	ID Numbei	Analyzed	Volume Sampled	Asbestos Structures Detected	Sensitivity	Concentration	Loading
		(mm²)	(L)		(s/cc)	(s/cc)	(s/mm²)
3W-031412 W	EM 8727	786 0.1000	972	1	0.0040	0.0040	10.0
3W-031412 N	EM 8727	787 0.1000	97 <b>2</b>	ND	0.0040	BAS	BAS
3W-031412 E	EM 8727	68 0.0400	97 <b>2</b>	6	0.0099	0.0594	150.0
3W-031412 S	EM 8727	789 0.1000	986	ND	0.0039	BAS	BAS

NA = Not Analyzed

Filter Material = Mixed Cellulose Ester

ND = None Detected

Filter Diameter = 25 mm

BAS = Below Analytical Sensitivity

Effective Filter Area = 385 sq mm

Average Grid Opening in mm<sup>2</sup> = 0.010

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#### TABLE II. SUMMARY OF ANALYTICAL DATA

**RES Job Number:** 

RES 231728-1

Client:

R & R Environmental

Client Project Number / P.O.:

None Given

Client Project Description:

3rd West Sub - RMP

Date Samples Received:

March 15, 2012

Analysis Type:

TEM, AHERA

Turnaround:

24 Hour

**ID Number** 

Client

March 15, 2012

Date	Samp	les	Analyzed:
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3W-031412 S	EM	87 <b>2</b> 789	ND	. 0	0	0	0	0	0	0

<sup>\*</sup>See Analytical Procedure for definitions

<sup>\*\*</sup>C = Excluded from total due to lack of confinnation

<sup>\*\*</sup>L = Excluded from total for length less than 0.5 micron (AHERA only)

<sup>\*\*</sup>A = Excluded from total due to i ncorrect as pect ratio

ND = None Detected

Contact

Phone Email Fax

Date

Time

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**RES 231728** 

Pager: 303-509-2098 INVOICE TO: (IF DIFFERENT) **CONTACT INFORMATION:** RIR Environmental Contact Dave Roskelles Address: 47 W 9A905 #1 Fax: Call/pegar roject Numter orld/or P.O. dave @ rremino.com rojeer Description/Location: 312 West Silb - RMIP ASBESTOS LABORATORY HOURS: Weekdays: 7am - 7pm REQUESTED ANALYSIS **VALID MATRIX CODES** LAB NOTES: RUSH /Sama Day) / PRIORITY (Next Day) STANDARD Air = A Bulk = 5 (Rush PCM = 2hr, TEM = 6hr.) Dust = O Pamt = P CHEMISTRY LABORATORY HOURS: Weekdays: Sam - Spm Soil = S Wipe = W \_\_\_ RUSH \_\_\_ 24 hr. \_\_\_ 3-5 Day Metal(s) / Dust Swab = SW F = Food "Prior notification ta RCRA 6 / Metals & Welding Drinking Water = DW | Waste Water = WW RUSH \_\_\_ 6 day \_\_\_ 10 day reduired for RUSH Point Count Fume Scan / TCLP O = Other ISO, +/-, rect Preps turnareunds.\*\* Organics 24 hr. \_\_\_ 3 day \_\_\_5 Day "ASTM E1792 approved wipe media only" MICROBIOLOGY LABORATORY HOURS: Weakdays: 9am - 8pni E.coll O157:H7, Coliforms, S.aureus \_\_\_\_ 24 hr. \_\_\_2 Day Salmonella, Listeria, E.coll, APC, Y & M 48 Hr. 3-5 Day Mold RUSH 24 Hr 48 Hr 3 Day 5 Day \*\*Turnaround times establish a laboratory priority, subject to laboratory volume and are net guaranteed. Additional feet apply for aftertioura, weekends and holidays.\*\* Matrix Code Special Instructions: EM Number (Laboratory Date Tims Use Only! Collected Collected Client sample ID number (Sample ID's must be uniqua) 3W-031412W 3114112 3W-031417 N 977 3W031412E 3W-031412 S 10 Number of samples received: (Additional samples shall be listed on attached long form.) NOTE: REI will analyse incoming samples bas expert information received and will not be responsible for errors or omissions in calculations resulting from the Inaccuracy of original data. By signing displacement party spresentative agrees that automission of the following samples for requested analysis as indicated on this Chain of Custody shall constitute an analytical services agreement with payment terms of NET 30 days, failure to comply with payment terms may result in a 1.5% monthly interest surcharge. Date/Time: 3 Relinquished By: Sample Condition: Sealed On Ice Laboratory Use Only 920 Yes / No Yes / No Yes/No Temp. (P') Received By: Oate/Time: Cerrier./~ Resulls: Contact Phone Email Fax Time Initials Contact Phone Email Fax Date Time Initials

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## Attachment I

Key to Count Sheets Count Sheets Analytical Procedures

Structures identifications consist of an Asbestos Type followed by a Structure Type

## Asbestos Type

### Structure Types

Α	=	Amosite	F =	Fiber
An	=	Anthophyllite	B =	Bundle
C	=	Chrysotile	C =	Cluster
Cr	=	Crocidolite	<b>M</b> =	Matrix
T	=	Tremolite		

ND = no structures detected

M = other structure associated with a matrix

NAM = Non Asbestos Mineral

XGB = partly obscured by a grid bar

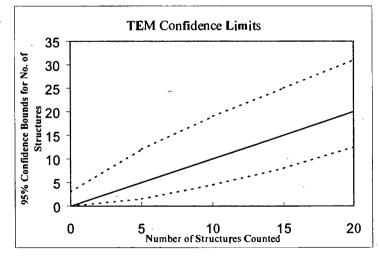
Sizing Conversion

1 length unit = 5 mm on screen = 0.278 micron
1.80 length units = 0.5 micron
18.0 length units = 5 microns

1 width unit = 1 mm on screen = 0.0556 micron

### **TEM Analysts**

Jeanne S. Orr Nathan DelHierro Angela Heitger Jonathan Bernard Paul D. LoScalzo Mark Steiner Norberto Zimbleman Robert Workman



Upper and lower 95% confidence bounds for the number of structures counted assuming a Poisson distribution.

Reservoirs	Environmental, Inc.
TEM Asbes	tos Structure Count

Laboratory name:	Reservoirs Environmental,Inc
Instrument	JEOL 100 CX N
Voltage (KV)	100 KV
Magnification	20100
Grid opening area (mm2)	0.010
Scale: 1L =	0.28 um
Scale: 1D =	0.058 um
Primary filter area (mm2)	365
Secondary Filter Area (mm2)	n/a
QA Tyoe	Not QA

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Client;	Environmental
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Air volume (L) or dust area	
(cm2)	972
Date received by lab	03/15/2012
Lab Job Number	231728
Lab Sample Number:	872786

F-Factor Calculation (Indirect Preps Only):			
Fraction of primary filter used			
Total Resuspension Volume (ml)			
Volume Applied to secondary filter (ml)			

Analyzed by	n.zimbelman
Analysis date	03/15/2012
Method (D=Direct, I=Indirect,	
IA=Indirect; ashed)	D
Counting rules	
(ISO, AHERA, ASTM)	Ahera
Grid storage location	Month Analyzed
Scope Alignment	Date Analyzed

## Client Sample ID Number 3W-031412W

Stmcture No. of Structures **Mineral Class** 1 = yes, blank = no **Dimensions** Grid Grid Opening Identification Type **Primary** Total С NAM Sketch Photo EDS Length Width Amohiboie Sketch/Comments A: 80% Thut- 3-5 7 JEON 7 63-

# Reservoirs Environmental, Inc. TEM Astrestos Structure Count

Laboratory name:	Reservoirs Environmental,Inc.
Instrument	JEOL 100 CX N
Voltage (KV)	too KV
Magnification	20KX
Grid opening area	2 242
(mm2)	0.010
Scale: IL≃	0.28 um
Scale: 1D =	0.056 um
Primary filter area	202
(mm2)	385
Secondary Filter Area	
(mm2)	n/a
QA Tvoe	Not QA

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	R&R		
Client:	Environmental		
Sample Type (A=Air, D=Dust):	A		
Air volume (L) or dust area (cm2)	972		
Date received by lab	03/15/2012		
Lab Job Number:	231728		
Lab Sample Number:	872787		

F-Factor Calculation (Indirect Pr	reps Only):
Fraction of primary filter used	
Total Ftesuspension Volume (ml)	
Volume Applied to secondary filter (ml)	\

Analyzed by	n.zimbelman
Analysis data	03/15/2012
Method (D=Direct, I=Indirect, IA=Indirect, ashed)	р
Counting rules (ISO, AHERA, ASTM)	Aherea
Grid storage location	Month Analyzed
Scope Alignment	Date Analyzed

## Client Sample ID Number 3W-031412N

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TEM Astres	tos Structure Count

Laboratory name:	Reservoirs Environmental,Inc.
Instrument	JEOL 100 CX N
Voltage (KV)	100 KV
Magnification	20KX
Grid opening area (mm2)	0.010
Scale: 1L =	0.28 um
Scale: 1D =	0.056 um
Primary filter area (mm2)	385
Secondary Filter Area (mm2)	n/a
QA Type	Not QA

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	R&R			
Client:	Environmental			
Samole Tyoe (A=Air, D=Dust):	Α			
Air volume (L) or dust area	}			
(cm2)	972			
Date received by lab	03/15/2012			
Lab Job Number:	231728			
Lab Sample Number:	872788			

F-Factor Calculation (Indirect Pr	eps Only):
Fraction of primary filter used	
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Volume Applied to secondary filter (ml)	

Analyzed by	n.zimbelman
Analysis date	03/15/2012
Method (D=Dlrect, f=Indirect,	
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Counting rules	
(1SO, AHERA, ASTM)	Ahera
Grid storage location	Month Analyzed
Scope Alignment	Date Analyzed

# Client Sample ID Number 3W-031412E

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# Reservoirs Environmental, Inc. TEM Asbestos Structure Count

Laboratory name:	Reservoirs Environmental,Inc.
instrument	JEOL 100 CX N
Voltage (KV)	loo KV
Magnification	20KX
Grid opening area (mm2)	0.010
Scale: 1L =	0.28 um
Scale: 1D =	0.056 um
Primary filter area (mm2)	385
Secondary Filter Area (mm2)	n/a
QA Tyoe	Not GA

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	R&R
Client:	Environmental
Sample Type (A=Air, D=Dust):	A
Air volume (L) or dust area	
(cm2)	986
Date received by lab	03/15/2012
Lab Job Number:	231728
Lab Sample Number:	872789

Fraction of primary filter used	
Total Resuspension Volume (ml)	
Volume Applied to secondary filter	<del> </del>

Analyzed by	n.zimbelman
Analysis date	03/15/2012
Method (D=Direct, l=tndirect, IA=Indirect, ashed)	D
Counting rules (ISO, AHERA, ASTM)	Ahera
Grkl storage location	Month Analyzed
Scope Alignment	Date Analyzed

## Client Sample ID Number 3W-0314t25

Grid	Grid Opening	Stmcture Type	No. of Structures		Dimensions		Identification	Mineral Class			1 = yes, blank = no			
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### Analytical Procedures - AHERA

Transmission electron microscopy/energy dispersive X-ray spectrometry/selected area electron diffraction (TEM/EDX/SAED) was employed in the analysis of the samples, which were collected on 25 mm mixed cellulose ester air filters. A portion of each filter was collapsed with acetone and etched in a plasma asher. The etched filter was then coated with a thin layer of carbon in a carbon side down. The sample was then placed inside a condensation washer and treated with acetone to remove the filter matrix and expose any inert material.

For each sample, enough grid openings on a 200 mesh TEM grid are analyzed to ensure an analytical sensitivity of at least 0.005 structures/cc. A minimum of four grid openings from two preparations are analyzed for each sample. The grid openings are searched for fibrous structures which, if present are analyzed by SAED and/or EDX (elemental analysis). The AHERA protocol requires SAED confirmation of enough chrysotile asbestos structures on each sample to cause the sample to exceed 70 structures/mm² (usually 4 or 5 structures). Both SAED and EDX confinnation are required of enough amphibole structures on each sample to cause the sample to exceed 70 structures/mm² (usually 4 or 5 structures) per sample. Either SAED or EDX is required for the remaining asbestos structures of either type. The morphology of each structure is determined and the length and the diameter of any asbestos structures are recorded. Asbestos fibers, bundles, cluster and matrices were identified and recorded. The asbestos structures have been defined in AHERA as follows:

Fiber: is a structure having a minimum length greater than or equal to 0.5

micron with an aspect ratio of 5:1 or greater with substantially parallel

sides.

Bundle: is a structure composed of three or more fibers in parallel arrangement,

with each fiber closer than the diameter of one fiber.

Cluster: is a structure with fibers in random arrangements such that all fibers are

intermixed and no single fiber is isolated from the group.

Matrix: is a fiber or fibers with one end free and the other end embedded or

hidden by a particulate. The exposed fiber end must meet the fiber

definition given above.

If more than 50 asbestos structures are identified and confirmed on a sample, AHERA analysis may be terminated after completion of the grid opening, which contains the 50<sup>th</sup> structure. AHERA protocol requires the laboratory to reject any clearance sample which contains in excess of 25% total particulate loading or which appears to be unevenly loaded.

The AHERA protocol includes specific sampling requirements, including minimum numbers of samples and minimum air volumes. Specifically, the 70 structures/mm² clearance criteria is only allowed for sets five inside samples (collected in a group of 13 samples including: five outsides and three blanks) with volumes greater than 1200 liters (40 CFR Part 763, page 41894). Deviation from the AHERA sampling protocol may affect the validity of the analytical results. Analysis of samples collected by non-protocol methods are not accredited by NVLAP

#### **Equations Used for Calculations**

Area Analyzed,  $mm^2 = \# GO \mod x$  Average GO Area (mm)

Concentration;  $s/cc = \frac{\# \text{ Asbestos Structures}}{\# \text{ GO Counted}} \times \frac{1}{\text{Volume (L)}} \times \frac{\text{Eff. Filter Area (mm}^2)}{\text{Average GO area (mm}^2)} \times \frac{1L}{1000cc}$ 

Filter loading, s/mm<sup>2</sup> = # Asbestos structures Area Analyzed (mm<sup>2</sup>)

GO = TEM grid opening